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Attorney's Docket No.:
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In Re Application Of:	Jeffrey T. Randall	
Serial Number:	09/915,132	Filed:
For: SPURT MINIMIZING DIPSENSING STRUCTURE		
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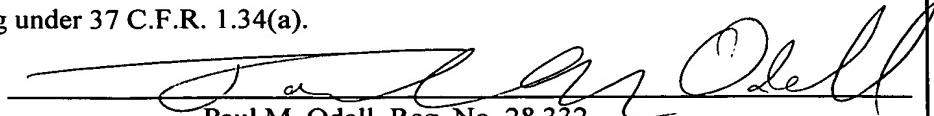
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Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Examiner dated July 8, 2003, rejecting claims 1-26 and 77, alleging a defective reissue declaration, and alleging non-receipt of the original patent.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate.

1. Applicant claims small entity status. (See 37 CFR 1.27.)
 A Statement Claiming Small Entity Status is enclosed.
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